विवरण-I

वर्ष 1997-98 में राज्य सरकारों द्वारा मिलावटी और घटिया बीजों की आपूर्ति के बारे में प्राप्त की गई शिकायतों का विवरण

क्रम सं॰	राज्य सरकार का नाम	घटिया बीजों की आपूर्ति की शिकायतों / मामलों की संख्या
1.	आन्ध्र प्रदेश	4 संख्या
2.	असम	उ न॰
3.	बिहार	उ न॰
4.	गुजरात	2 संख्या
5.	हरियाणा	उ न॰
6.	हिमाचल प्रदेश	शून्य
7.	जम्मू एवं कश्मीर	उ न॰
8.	कर्नाटक	11 संख्या
9.	केरल	शून्य
10.	मध्य प्रदेश	शून्य
11.	मेघालय	उ न॰
12.	महाराष्ट्र	18 संख्या
13.	मणिपुर	उ न॰
14.	मिजोरम	उ न॰
15.	नागालैण्ड	उ न॰
16.	उड़ीसा	शून्य
17.	पंजाब	शून्य
18.	राजस्थान	10 संख्या
19.	तमिलनाडु	2 संख्या
20.	त्रिपुरा	शून्य
21.	उत्तर प्रदेश	उ न॰
22.	पश्चिम बंगाल	शून्य
23.	अरूणाचल प्रदेश	उ न॰
24.	गोवा	शून्य
25.	सिक्किम	शून्य

उ.न. - उपलब्ध नहीं।

विवरण-II

राजस्थान में खरीफ 1998 तथा रबी 1998-99 के लिए बीजों के वितरण का निर्धारित लक्ष्य।

क्र॰सं॰	खरीफ	मात्रा क्विंटल में
1.	बाजरा	47,000
2.	मक्का	7,000
3.	ज्वार	4,1100
4.	धान	2,000
5.	मूंग	6,000
6.	उड़द	11,500
7.	मोठ	750
8.	लोबिया	800
9.	अरहर	800
10.	तिल	1,400
11.	मूंगफली	6,000
12.	अरण्डी	800
13.	सोयाबीन	16,500
14.	कपास	40,000
15.	ग्वार	1,300
	रबी	
16.	गेहूं	2,00,000
17.	चना	15,500
18.	सरसों	33,000
19.	जौ	3,100
20.	मसूर	150

Central Team for KBK Districts in Orissa

*531. SHRI BHAGABAN MAJHI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government had sent a Central team to the KBK (Kalahandi, Bolangir and Koraput) districts in Orissa;

(b) if so, what kind of assessment was made in KBK districts; and

(c) the details of the action taken on the study report?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SOMPAL): (a) Yes, Sir. The Ministry of Water Resources had constituted a Team of Officers in July, 1997 to assess drought situation in Kalahandi and other districts of Orissa and suggest remedial measures. The Team visited the area and reviewed the status of ongoing drought alleviation projects and new projects which have been identified by the State Government for implementation.

(b) and (c) The requisite information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Scheme for increasing agricultural production in Madhya Pradesh

*532. SHRI RAGHAVJI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the details of amount spent under Centrally-sponsored schemes for farmers to increase agricultural production in Madhya Pradesh during the Eighth Five Year Plan;

(b) the number of farmers benefited; and

(c) the steps contemplated in this regard during the Ninth Five Year Plan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SOMPAL): (a) An amount of Rs. 292 crores was released to Government of Madhya Pradesh for implementation of various Centrally Sponsored Schemes for the development of crops, horticulture, rainfed farming, etc.

(b) The Centrally Sponsored Schemes were aimed at raising agricultural productivity and production the benefits of which flow to farmers both in a direct and indirect manner. Details of number of beneficiaries under some of the Central and Centrally Sponsored Schemes during Eighth Plan are given below:—

S. No.	Name of Scheme	No. of beneficiaries
1.	Promotion of Agricultural Mechanisation among small farmers.	1622
2.	Exchange of farmers	278
3.	Farmer Scientist Interaction	1491
4.	Oilseeds Production Programme	375326
5.	National Pulses Development Programme	386648
6.	Special Scheme for SC/ST	17589
7.	Integrated Pest Management	8956

(c) The Ninth Five Year Plan has not been finalised.

Decline in ground water level in Gujarat

*533. SHRI AHMED PATEL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that level of ground water in most of Gujarat has gone down considerably and situation has become alarming;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Government have conducted any study in this regard;

(d) if so, the findings thereof; and

(e) the steps Government have taken or propose to take to check the declining trend in ground water levels in Gujarat?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SOMPAL): (a) and (b) Long term observations made by the Central Ground Water Board have shown a decline of upto 10.6 metres in shallow ground water and upto 50.37 metres in the level of deeper ground water in some parts of the State of Gujarat. Due to steep fall in the level of ground water from 12 to 50 metres, the situation in some parts of Gujarat including the districts of Mehsana, Gandhinagar and Ahmedabad has become alarming.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) The details of fall in the level of shallow and deeper ground water in various parts of the State are as indicated in the following table:—